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TIME TABLE

Butler Station

CORRECTED MAY 7, 1916

NORTH

No. 296 K. C. Passenger..... 8:15 a. m.
 No. 298 K. C. & St. Louis Passenger..... 11:00 a. m.
 No. 210 K. C. & St. Louis Passenger..... 10:45 p. m.

SOUTH

No. 291 Joplin Passenger..... 3:50 a. m.
 No. 297 Joplin Passenger..... 1:30 p. m.
 No. 295 Nevada Passenger..... 3:00 p. m.

INTERSTATE

(Arrive)

No. 638 Butler Passenger..... 10:25 a. m.
 No. 694 Local Freight..... 4:15 p. m.

WEST

(Leave)

No. 693 Madison Local..... 7:05 a. m.
 No. 637 Madison Passenger..... 1:30 p. m.
 All freight for forwarding must be at depot not later than 10:00 o'clock a. m. or will be held for following day's forwarding. Freight for Interstate Division must be delivered before 5 o'clock p. m. No freight billed for this train in the morning.
 Madison and local freights carry passengers.

Claude L. Plain,
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All work guaranteed and prices reasonable.

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Butler, Mo.

THE NATION'S WAR CAPACITY

Output of a "Socialized" Industry Can Be Increased Tremendously.

From the Omaha News.

The biggest lesson the war has taught us is that the productive capacity of each man, each machine and each other manufacturing unit which has been "socialized" is nearly if not quite double what it had been under previous conditions.

It is estimated we can send an army of 11 million men to war, if necessary, and we must at the same time build up our munitions and shipbuilding industries to supply and transport them.

To do this we must call on the women, just as England has done. Analysis of the census figures show that there are at least 4 1-2 million women of productive age not now engaged in gainful occupations who could be called on for industrial service.

Furthermore, almost one-fourth of our total manufacturing capacity now goes into production of articles we can dispense with.

The National Defense Council has listed and inventoried twenty-seven thousand plants, which can be used for munitions purposes. Many of these have had trial orders and are now ready to go to work on the special parts for which they are equipped.

Within a year these plants, together with the federal arsenals and the regular munitions plants, can turn out every day 1-2 million large shells, 3-4 million small shells and 5 million cartridges.—Omaha News.

Stephen Dowe Morlan.

The only son of W. B. and Fannie Morlan was born at Ballard, Bates county, Mo., Feb. 27, 1884. He came with his parents to Uriah when quite small, was educated in the public schools, grew to manhood and spent all of his active life in this city. After leaving school he was for a number of years engaged with his father in general merchandising from which he retired on account of his health, in March, 1913. He then went to Colorado and recuperated some months and on his return home accepted the assistant cashiership of the Bank of Uriah, which position he filled with distinction and credit. In April of 1916, he resigned his position in the bank and again engaged in the mercantile business.

In January of this year he was compelled, on account of rapidly failing health, to close out his business and seek complete rest. He consulted several prominent physicians but received little encouragement and he then went to Hot Springs, Arkansas, but took worse and had to return home.

He came home on Tuesday, walked to his home from the station and no one apprehended that his condition was so immediately dangerous, but when he grew rapidly worse until Thursday morning, March 29, when he said to those by his side: "Turn me over, please, that I may sleep" and in an instant his spirit sped away to the placid shores and serene shade of immortal bliss while the tired body sunk into that sweet and restful sleep from which no mortal wakes to weep.

On Feb. 14, 1905, he was married to Mary Lee Guttridge, who with one daughter, Louis, together with father, mother and one sister, remain to sorrow at his going.

Dowe, as he was familiarly known, was possessed with high ideals of man's duty to man and was true as steel in all the relations of life. He played the game of life on the square, and his compass carried justice to all. He was frank, yet prudent in expression. He loved his friends more and hated his enemies less, if any he had, than most people. His business career was characterized by scrupulous honesty and the strictest business integrity. Those who knew him best loved him most and were saddest at his going.—Uriah Herald.

U. S. FLAG TO FRENCH FRONT

Robert Bacon Will Carry the Emblem to France Soon.

Paris, April 14.—Robert Bacon, former secretary of State, cabinet member and President of the United States, is to carry the American flag to the French front. The message will be carried by a French plane.

COMBINED STATEMENT

OR

MISSOURI STATE BANK And THE WALTON TRUST CO.

(ASSOCIATE INSTITUTIONS)

At Close of Business, March 5, 1917

ASSETS	
Money loaned.....	\$1,429,411.34
Overdrafts.....	2,557.02
Real Estate (Including Bank Building).....	67,456.72
Furniture and Fixtures.....	3,000.00
Cash and Due from Banks.....	271,630.67
	\$1,774,055.75
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock.....	\$305,000.00
Surplus and Profits.....	225,202.42
Bills Payable.....	225,000.00
Set aside for Taxes.....	1,000.00
Deposits.....	1,017,853.33
	\$1,774,055.75

"THE OLD RELIABLE"

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, ss.
 County of Bates.
 In the Circuit Court, May Term, 1917.
 In Vacation April 3, 1917.
 Sadie Gregory, Plaintiff,
 vs.
 James Gregory, Defendant.

Now at this day comes the plaintiff herein, and files her petition under oath, alleging, among other things, that defendant, James Gregory, is a non-resident of the State of Missouri. Whereupon it is ordered by the Clerk that said defendant be notified by publication that Plaintiff has commenced a suit against him in this court, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a divorce from the defendant and an order granting her the custody of the infant child, Chas. Gregory, and that unless the said defendant be and appear at this court, at the next term thereof, at the Court House in the said county, on the fourth Monday of May, 1917, and by the first day of said term, answer to her petition same will be taken as confessed and judgment rendered accordingly.

And it is further ordered, that a copy hereof be published, according to law, in the Butler Weekly Times a newspaper.

H. O. MAXEY,
 Circuit Clerk.
 By JOANNA MAXEY, Deputy.
 A true copy from the record.
 Witness my hand and seal of (Seal) the Circuit Court of Bates County, this 5th day of April, 1917.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of Isaac N. Brown, deceased, that I, T. D. Embree, Administrator of said estate, intend to make final settlement thereof, at the next term of the Bates County Probate Court, in Bates County, State of Missouri, to be held at Butler, Missouri, commencing on the 14th day of May, 1917.

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CAPITAL PUNISHMENT IN MISSOURI TO END

Governor Approves Whitaker Bill Law Effective on June 18.

Jefferson City, April 13.—Governor Gardner today approved the house bill introduced by Whitaker of Hickory, which will forever put an end to the legal execution of criminals convicted of murder in the first degree and other high crimes. This law will become effective June 18.

Among the bills signed by the governor today were the following:

Imposing an annual tax of \$500 on all wholesale dealers in whiskey and similar intoxicants.

Making it a misdemeanor, punishable by fine of not exceeding \$1,000 and one year's imprisonment, for any one to draw a check on a bank when there are no funds to meet the same, if such action was committed with intent to defraud.

Amending the election laws so that members of the national guard, who are out of the state when elections are held, may send their votes home to be counted.

Senate bill providing for the sending by the governor of a resolution committee of six members in November, next year and every two years thereafter to the State of France.

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 In the Circuit Court, May Term, 1917.
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 S. L. Coleman, Plaintiff,
 vs.
 John C. Burk, Defendant.

Now at this day comes the Plaintiff herein, by his attorneys and files his petition, alleging, among other things, that defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri. Whereupon, it is ordered by the Clerk, in vacation, that said defendant be notified by publication that Plaintiff has commenced a suit against him in this court, the object and general nature of which is to perfect plaintiff's record title to the following described real estate, lying and being situated in Bates County, Missouri, to-wit: The East half of the South-west quarter of Section One, in Township Forty, of Range Twenty-nine, in said county and State, and to divest defendant of all title or interest in the same and vest it in the plaintiff by reason of the fact that the title to said land emanated from the Government of the United States more than eleven years before the commencement of this action by the issue of a patent to this defendant; that the plaintiff and those under whom he claims have been in the open, notorious, continuous, exclusive, peaceable and adverse possession of said land for more than thirty-one years next before the filing of this petition; that the defendant appears to have or claims to have some interest in said land adverse to that of the plaintiff, in this: That on the day of _____, 1885, he entered said land and thereafter there was a patent issued to him on the _____ day of _____, 18____, more than thirty-one years before the filing of this petition; that there does not appear to have been any conveyance of record from the defendant, though, as plaintiff is informed and states the fact to be, that the defendant conveyed said land to one Samuel Jackson, from whom through mesne conveyances, this plaintiff claims, and that unless the said defendant be and appear at this

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